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Application of: MacQueen et al.

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Coating Having Macroscopic

Texture and Process for Making

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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In response to the Office Action of April 24, 2001, please amend the above 198.00 CH identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 10, line 29, with the following:

-- A preferred embodiment of a pre-cured coating mixture of the present invention comprises, by weight, 79.44% of a resin mixture comprising, by weight, 53.4% urethane acrylate (ALUA 1001, available from Congoleum Corporation, Mercerville, NJ), 8.8% ethoxylated diacrylate (SR 259 available from Sartomer, Exton, PA), 24.3% propoxylated diacrylate (SR 306 available from Sartomer, Exton, PA), 13.4% ethoxylated trimethlyolpropane triacrylate (SR 454 available from Sartomer, Exton, PA), and 0.1% acylphosphine oxide (LUCERIN TPO available from BASF); 12.00% flatting agent